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CONTENT )

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 28, 2000, please enter this amendment and consider the following remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

1. (Twice Amended) A method [of managing digital content licenses, the method] comprising:
- creating a first license having a first cardinality, the license created by a license management device;
  - storing the first license in a first set of playback devices in response to a command from the license management device, wherein the first set of playback devices is determined based, at least in part, on the first cardinality;